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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

**Born**  
Paris, May 27, to Charles W. Noyes and daughter.

May 23, to the wife of J. J. Judd, a son, Charles.

May 18, to the wife of E. Farrington, a son, Thomas.

May 20, to the wife of G. Knightly, a daughter, Elaine.

**Died**  
May 25, Mark Traflet, aged 82 years.

Portland, May 28, Dr. J. J. Judd, a native of Bethel, aged 82 years.

May 21, Mrs. George, aged 84 years.

May 24, Mrs. Almeda, aged 87 years.

May 19, Mrs. E. J. Upson, aged 82 years.

May 24, Mrs. A. J. Stevens, aged 82 years.

May 23, Mrs. Clemens, aged 83 years.

May 26, E. J. Upson, aged 86 years.

May 26, Mrs. M. J. Trask, aged 82 years.

May 26, Mrs. F. Cram, treasurer of the Bethel railroad, aged 82 years.

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## FAYE SANBORN GRADUATE OF DESIGNERS ART SCHOOL

Among the graduates of the Designers Art School of Boston, who took part in the Commencement Exercises at Longwood Towers, Brookline, Mass., Thursday evening, June 1st, was Lillian Faye Sanborn of Bethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn. Miss Sanborn majored in Advertising Design, and has already secured a position at Houghton & Dutton's in Boston.

While attending Gould Academy she was a member of the Mandolin Club, the Glee Club, the Girl Reserves, and took active part in the school sports—among them—basketball. At Designers Art School Miss Sanborn was President of the Sophomore Class.

## BIRTHDAY LUNCHEON AT BETHEL INN

One of the most delightful affairs of the Spring season was a luncheon at Bethel Inn at one o'clock on Saturday, June the third, given by Mrs. Blackwood. The color scheme was green and white, the decorations being lilacs-of-the-valley in profusion.

A very beautiful center-piece of the lilacs on a large plateau and this being surrounded by the same flowers was very effective. At each place were favors done up in attractive white packages tied with green ribbon and decorated with lilacs-of-the-valley. These favors were embroidered linen handkerchiefs. The cut cups were in green colors also. The place cards were tiny photographs of local scenes.

A very delicious luncheon was served and during the hour Mrs. Blackwood announced that the occasion was in honor of her birthday. Congratulations were offered and sincere good wishes were extended by all. With the dessert was served a very attractive birthday cake surrounded by lilacs-of-the-valley. Altogether this was a very charming affair and once again proved Mrs. Blackwood's ability as a delightful hostess.

Those attending were Mrs. William R. Chapman, Mrs. F. E. Hanscom, Mrs. E. C. Park, Miss Annie Hamilton, Mrs. Chaplin, Mrs. Al Van, Mrs. L. A. Edwards, Mrs. W. B. Twaddle, Mrs. Fred Edwards, Mrs. Eben Kilborn, Mrs. G. L. Thurston, Mrs. Gilbert Tuell, Mrs. Henry Hastings, Mrs. Paul Thurston, and Miss Cleo Russell.

## CIVIL SERVICE HEAD



Charles Edward Addams, Jr., of Arizona, who has been named by President Roosevelt as president of the United States civil service commission, the body that guides the destinies of more than a million government employees.

## ASA BARTLETT'S OBSERVE 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Keep Open House To Many Friends and Receive Numerous Gifts. To Mark Occasion

Mr. and Mrs. Asa O. Bartlett observed the 25th anniversary of their marriage, Saturday, June 3, and during the day were host and hostess to their many friends. Open house was held during the afternoon and evening and many messages of congratulation and wishes were received. Besides the friends who called during the afternoon and evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett entertained ten supper guests.

During the evening a social time and the singing of old songs was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett were the recipients of many gifts, including a beautiful wedding cake, a miniature bride and groom being a part of the decorations. The cake was presented by Mrs. Frank Lovejoy of Norway. Other gifts included linen, cut glass, silver, pewter and money.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett were married at Norway by Rev. B. S. Rideout, pastor of the Congregational church and lived in Norway until ten years ago when they came to Bethel to live on the F. L. Edwards farm where Mr. Bartlett is employed. They have four sons, Wilson, a graduate of Gould Academy, Trifton, a student at Gould, and Floyd and Elmer, grammar school students.

Mrs. Bartlett is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elmer T. Dunn of Norway and received her education in the schools of her native town. She is a member of the Methodist church and Ladies Aid and when health will permit is active in church work. She is also affiliated with the Relief Corps and the Grange.

Mr. Bartlett is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Bartlett of Upton, a farmer by occupation and a loyal member of Bethel Grange.

Guests of the day and evening were: Mrs. Arthur Herrick, Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Miss Minnie Capen, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carroll, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett, Herman Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Dalley, Miss Elvira Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimball, Mrs. Eva Hastings, Mrs. Levine Lowe, Mrs. Mildred Rice, Mrs. Alice Littlehale, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith, Mrs. Jack Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton, Mrs. Jasper Cates, Mrs. Annie Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark, Miss Katherine Goldthwaite, Mrs. L. E. Davis, Mrs. S. H. Jodrey, Mrs. Scott Robertson, Mrs. P. C. Lapham, Mrs. Esther Brown, all of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Dunn and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Emma Jordan and children, Carolyn and Merle, of South Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovejoy, of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frost, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Buck, of South Paris; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry of Brunswick.

## SPECIAL CITIZENS MEETING AT ROSEHURST

Friday, June 16th at 7:30 p. m., D. L. S. Time

For the purpose of protesting the proposed intention of the Canadian National Railway to discontinue train running to Portland in the morning and train returning in the evening. The removal of this service would practically isolate Bethel, therefore please attend this meeting and signify your objection to this action of the Canadian National Railway.

FRANK A. BROWN  
10 Chairman Selectmen of Bethel.

## WEST PARIS TEACHER HONORED AT RETIREMENT

Miss Clara Berry was given a reception at Good Will Hall Monday evening in honor of her retirement from 36 years of successful teaching, eleven of the later being in West Paris High School. There was a very large attendance and a program presented as follows:

Orchestra  
Greetings, Rev. A. E. Maxell  
Duet, Betty Hollis, Wendall Ring  
Recitation, Phyllis Welch  
Song, Charlotte Hill  
Remarks, Superintendent Robinson  
Presentation of School Gift,  
D. L. Libby  
Piano Solo, Glendine Ring  
Presentation of Community Gift,  
Rev. E. B. Forbes  
Orchestra  
Ice cream and cake were served.

## CAR TIPPED OVER ON RUMFORD ROAD

James Williams, Bethel, Appeals \$100 Fine for Leaving Scene of the Accident

In the Rumford Municipal Court on Monday, James Williams of Bethel pleaded not guilty to the charge of leaving the scene of an automobile accident without making himself known. This case was the result of an accident that occurred Sunday night about ten o'clock when C. Harrison Kennard with Miss Eleanor Fisher, as a passenger, were driving toward Rumford from Bethel and on coming around a turn a few miles from Bethel, saw this automobile coming toward them. Mr. Kennard testified that he pulled as far to the right hand side of the road as possible and applied his brakes and that the approaching car smashed into the side of his automobile turning it over on its side. Both cars were badly damaged but no one was hurt.

Mr. Kennard and Miss Fisher testified that Mr. Williams, the driver of the other car, did not stay there and did not come to them and make himself known. Mr. Williams testified that he helped tip the Kennard car back on its wheels and then went for a wrecker. Not finding the garage man in he went to a house and stayed all night coming back in the morning and found Eugene Stevens of the Highway police department and Deputy Sheriff Cummings of Bethel at the scene and he was arrested. He was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs or two months in jail. He appealed the sentence.

## ENVOY TO ITALY



Brockbridge Long well-known St. Louis lawyer, who was appointed ambassador to Italy by President Roosevelt.

In choosing a design for the new inflated currency how would a fully distended rubber balloon do?

## BAILEY-HANSCOM ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Supper Party Given By Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hanscom Scene of Divulgement

Many local people will be interested to learn of the engagement of Miss Kathryn Hanscom of Bethel and Carroll P. Bailey of Auburn, both members of the faculty of Gould Academy. The announcement was made at a supper party given Saturday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hanscom. The party included Miss Hanscom's sisters, Margaret and Dorothy Hanscom, her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. E. Hanscom Jr., Mrs. Margaret Herrick, Mrs. G. L. Thurston, Mrs. Amos Fortier and Mrs. E. L. Brown of Bethel, Mrs. Mary Chaplin of Ashburnham, Mass., Mrs. Stanley Foss Bartlett of Lewiston, Miss Ella Litchfield of Portland, Miss Margery Bailey of Dexter, Miss Lucy Kellogg of Hallowell, Mrs. Marjorie Thompson of Somersworth, N. H., and the hostess.

During the supper after the tables had been cleared for the dessert, Miss Perry Jan Hanscom, little granddaughter of the hostess, entered with a basket of roses and presented one to each guest. Attached to the stem of each rose was a diamond ring and card, bearing the names, Miss Kathryn Hanscom, Carroll P. Bailey. Only one of the rings proved to be genuine and the Miss Hanscom placed it on her finger. Mr. Hanscom was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. G. L. Thurston, an intimate friend of the family.

Miss Hanscom is the eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hanscom. She is a graduate of Bates College has taken courses in art at the Harvard summer school, and spent one summer in European travel. After graduation, she taught one year in Massachusetts, and has since been a member of the Gould Academy faculty.

Mr. Bailey is also a graduate of Bates College, where he was assistant in science during his senior year. He taught science for four years in the Houlton high school, resigning to do graduate work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After one year at Tech., he transferred to Harvard, receiving his Master's degree from that institution in 1930. While studying at Harvard he also taught science classes in Simmons College. He substituted for one year in the science department at Bates College, taking the place of one of the professors who was on leave of absence for graduate study. He then came to Gould Academy as sub-master and head of the science department, a position which he has filled with eminent ability. No date has been announced for the wedding.

## TWO FIRES OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN

About nine o'clock Tuesday morning flames were discovered in the farm buildings of Leta Mills at Northwest Albany and when the first camera arrived the roof was ablaze so it was impossible to save the buildings. The place was vacant, the last occupants, Hubert York and family, having moved away several weeks ago.

The camp of J. B. Chapman at Newry was completely destroyed Tuesday night. There was no one there at the time, and as the Mills fire the cause of the fire is unknown.



# MAINE WOMEN BUILD OWN KITCHEN GADGETS

Truth of the trite expression, "Where there is a will there is a way," is demonstrated in the resourcefulness of 80 Maine women enrolled in the 1933 Kitchen Improvement Contest.

Some of the ingenious devices found by Edna M. Cobb, home management specialist for the Extension Service, were reported by her as follows:

"In one kitchen was noticed a handy tool rack. Every housekeeper has occasion now and then to use a hammer or screwdriver, and she doesn't need to take a trip to the shed or hunt through a drawer that is intended only for measuring cups and egg beaters if she has them in plain sight and near at hand. This tool rack was nothing but a piece of board smoothed off, with nails driven in as brackets to hold up the tools. The woman in whose kitchen this was seen made it herself and she did not profess any skill in carpentering either.

"In this same kitchen, the husband's needs were taken care of. Under one of the windows was a box with a hinged cover built into the wall, making one of the units in a series of cupboards on that side of the room. The husband's personal belongings were kept in there. The top formed a nice window seat. The wife was permitted to sit on it, but hands off as to the inside!

"Some kitchens have mantel pieces in them, virtually 'catch all' for everything that is unsightly. This difficulty was cleverly overcome in one of the kitchens visited. Three shallow drawers were built under the mantel for string, wax paper, paper bags, etc. and the top of the mantel was bare.

"To keep the rolling pin out of the flour in the flour drawer, one of the women had driven in two nails near the top of the drawer and the rolling pin rested on those instead of in the flour. She said she disliked to scatter flour all over the floor when she took the rolling pin out to use.

"Quite a number of kitchens have wooden racks near the stove for storing kettle and sauce pan covers. These are the things that are always needed at the stove and storing them there saves so many steps going back to the pantry or the cupboard to get one after the potatoes have been put on to boil. Knife racks, too, attached to the wall space near the cooking center or sink have been made at no expense."

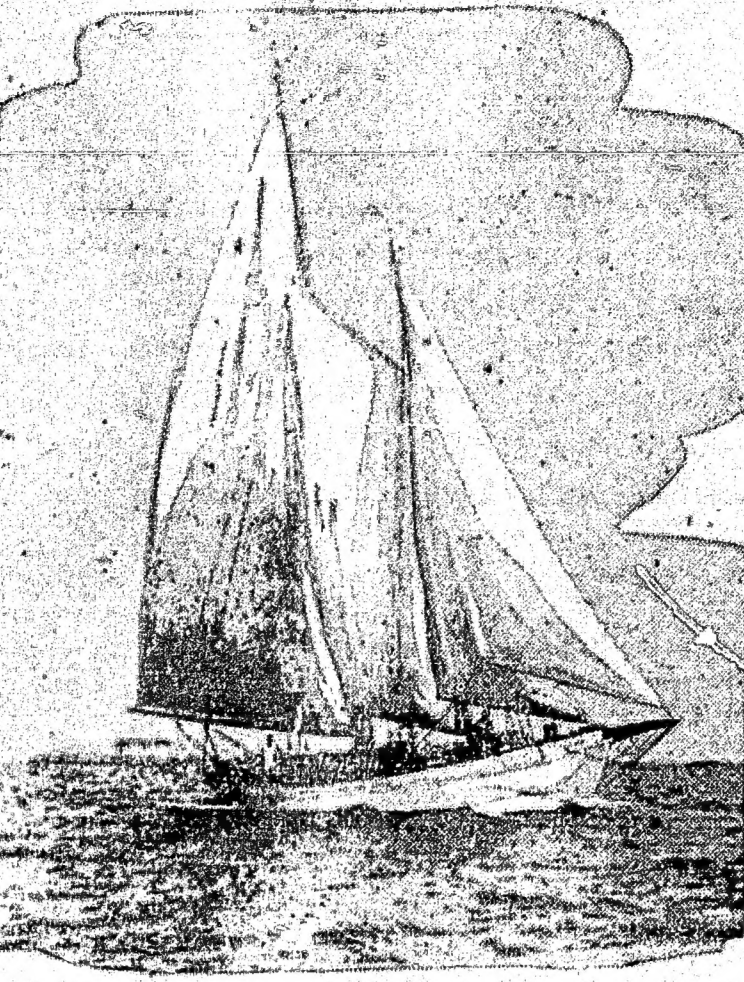
On June 1, Maine had exactly 7,326 of her rural boys and girls enrolled in 4-H club work representing a gain of 1,629 over the same date last year, reports L. H. Shibles, state club leader for the Extension Service.

## MICKIE SAYS

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# Yacht President Roosevelt Will Use



This is the 45-footer Amberjack II, owned by Paul D. Rust, Jr., which has been overhauled at Salem, Mass., in preparation for the cruise President Roosevelt will make on her this summer.

## NEWRY CORNER

Children's Night was observed by Bear River Grange Saturday night and was well attended.

Mrs. Bailey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edna Smith, for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Warren of East Rutherford were in town Sunday.

Joseph Robichaud, Freeman Hayden, Lucien Martel, Edward Jacques, Frank Berran, John Sunbury, Hazel Lapham and Fred Robichaud, all employees of Turner Center System, Inc., of Rutherford, motored to Bear River T House Sunday evening for a farewell dinner in honor of Fred Robichaud, who has been transferred to the Portland office.

Several from town attended the baccalaureate exercises at Bethel Sunday afternoon.

## GREENWOOD CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Whitman and family of Norway were at Camp Boulder over the week end.

Phyllis and Elizabeth Morrill of Mason visited with Mary Martin over the week end.

Mrs. Gladys Bailey visited with her aunt, Mrs. Ella Bradford, at North Paris recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw of Portland and Ernest Martin of Norway were recent visitors at R. L. Martin's.

The camp belonging to Alty Harthorn of Mechanic Falls was occupied Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farr and family of West Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterhouse of West Paris and Lee Mills of Albany were Sunday visitors at Ross Martin's.

Milton Jacobs was at Berlin recently.

## WAYNE AND AMCO FEEDS

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## GROVER HILL

Rev. Clifford R. Laws and friend, Miss Atwood, from Errol, N. H., were recent callers at Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Whitman's.

Harold Pike and family from Waterford were calling on friends in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Andrews and children from Gorham, N. H., were recent callers at E. B. Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Tyler and family were calling on friends in this place recently.

After a visit of a week with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard left for Bellows Falls, Vt., Sunday morning and were accompanied as far as Center Harbor, N. H., by Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler and True Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott have returned to their home near Skillington, since Mrs. Abbott's return from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haines from East Bethel were recent dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. David Chamberlain and Miss Julia Wakulish from Hartford and Mr. and Mrs. George Wakulish and daughter, Betty Jane from Canton, and Miss Josephine Wakulish from Auburn were recent callers at J. B. Abbott's.

Wallace Coolidge with the Inn team recently did some farm work for J. B. Abbott.

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# WITH THE POETS

To Our Readers—If there is an old song or poem which you cannot find and would like to see in print, write the Citizen. If we are unable to locate it possibly another reader can furnish it for publication.

## "GRAN'MA AL'US DOES"

H. A. Poe

I wants to mend my wagon,  
An' I has to have some nails;  
Jus' two, free will be plenty,  
We're going to haul our rails.  
The spendiest cob fences  
We're makin' ever was!  
I wis' you'd help us find 'em,  
Gran'ma al'us does.

My horse's name is Betsey;  
She jumped and broke her head,  
I put her in the stable  
And fed her milk and bread.  
The stable's in the parlor;  
We didn't make no muss,  
I wis' you'd let us stay there,  
Gran'ma al'us does.

I's going to the corn-field,  
To ride on Charley's plow;  
I spect he'd like to have me—  
I wants to go right now.  
O, won't I gee up awful,  
And who like Charley whoas;  
I wis' you wouldn't bozzer,  
Gran'ma never does.

I wants some bread and butter,  
I's hungry worstest kind;  
But Taddie mustn't have none,  
'Cause she wouldn't mind;  
Put plenty sugar on it,  
Tell you what, I knows  
It's right to put on sugar,  
Gran'ma al'us does.

## SMILE WHENEVER YOU CAN

When things don't go to suit you,  
And the world seems upside down,  
Don't waste your time in fretting,  
But drive away that frown;  
Since life is oft perplexing,  
'Tis much the wisest plan  
To bear all trials bravely,  
And smile whenever you can.

Why should you dread tomorrow,  
And thus dispoil today?  
For when you borrow trouble,  
You always have to pay.  
It is a good old maxim,  
Which should often be preached—  
Don't cross the bridge before you  
Until the bridge is reached.

You might be spared much sighing,  
If you would keep in mind  
The thought that good and evil  
Are always here combined.  
There must be something wanting,  
And though you roll in wealth,  
You may miss from your casket  
That precious jewel—health.

And though you're strong and sturdy,  
You may have an empty purse;  
(And earth has many trials  
Which I consider worse!)  
But whether joy or sorrow  
Fill up your mortal span,  
'Twill make your pathway brighter  
To smile whenever you can.

# BATHING SUITS

## Straw Hats

Now is the time to buy them and the prices were never so low as at the present.

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BETHEL, MAINE

# THE MINISTER HEARS A LOUDER CALL

"Beloved flock," the parson said, then paused and wiped his eyes. "As pastor and as people we must sever tender ties. I've a call to go to Blanktown to be their chosen pastor;— A call so loud to disobey, I fear, would grieve the Master."

Replied the spokesman of the flock: "Though loud the call may be, We'll call you louder to remain, an X for every V. Those Blanktown people offer you we'll give to keep you here, We trust you'll hear a voice divine, our call's so loud and clear."

With sobbing voice the parson said: "My duty's clearer now; I'll stay with you, beloved ones; to Heaven's will I bow. So let us sing 'Blest be the tie, and sing it clear and strong; To leave you when you call so loud would be exceeding wrong!'"

Then in his study sat he down, a letter to indite Unto the church at Blanktown. Thus did the parson write: "I've wrestled o'er your call with prayer; the Lord bids me to stay, And, consecrated to His work, dare not disobey."

# PLANS ARE MADE FOR 4-H CLUB FIELD DAY

The committee on club field day arrangements met at the Farm Bureau office on May 23 and made plans for the events. The date was set for August 2 at Songo Pond. There will be a variety of events such as water sports, field events, baseball and other attractions. The list of events will be sent out in July so club members will have a chance to get in practice before the big day.

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# HAS PROHIBITION RUINED FA

The Wets say prohibition has ruined the farmers. Why did the National Cattle Raisers' Association, composed of 800,000 farmers, vote by an overwhelming majority in favor of the repeal of the eighteenth Amendment prohibition? When Gustav P. Hauke, in 1917, appeared before the Congressional committee in Washington, representing the brewery interests in the matter, he offered the following statement: "The actual production of beer in the United States, represents less than one quarter of 1 per cent of the total production in the United States."

Louis J. Taber, representing the National Grange, presented the following facts to the Congressional committee: "Milk consumption, including butter, cream, and ice cream, has increased from 12,000,000,000 pounds in 1917 to 22,000,000,000 pounds in 1927. The further stated that increased consumption requires over 2,500,000 more grain than was required for distillation of liquor. To this must be added 22,000,000,000 pounds of grain required in addition to such as water sports, field events, baseball and other attractions. The list of events will be sent out in July so club members will have a chance to get in practice before the big day."

# SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. F. entertained guests from Chelmsford.

Mrs. H. I. Bean was the family of James K. week from Wednesday to Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. S. daughter Beth were Sunday visitors at James Kimball's.

A. A. Bruce was a buyer at Hugh Stearns' on Monday. Lilla Stearns returned Saturday from Bethel.

Rev. W. I. Bull conducted services at the Albany Sunday, preaching a sermon, also singing a hymn.

Miss Frances Rich, of Brown and Mrs. Nancy called on Mr. and Mrs. I. well recently.

The Circle of last week ended by a large crowd on June 15, entertained of young people. All in a good time.

# HAPPY-GO-LUCKY 4-

The Happy-Go-Lucky met with their leader, well, at her home on Monday. The meeting consisted of song, club pledge and a vote to have our picnic sometime in July. We voted to have our picnic in our pictures and stories.

—Kathleen Wright.

# TYPEWRITER RIBBON

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## HAS PROHIBITION RUINED FARMERS?

The West say prohibition has ruined the farmers. If this is so, why did the National Grange, composed of 800,000 farmers, recently vote by an overwhelming majority in favor of the retention of the eighteenth Amendment and national prohibition?

When Gustav Fabst, of Milwaukee, in 1917, appeared before a Congressional committee in Washington, representing the brewery interests in this country, he offered the following sworn statement: "The actual amount of grain used in brewing, principally barley, represents less than three quarters of 1 per cent of all the grain produced in the United States."

Louis J. Taber, master of the National Grange, presented the following facts to a Congressional committee: "Milk consumption, including butter, cream, cheese, and ice cream, has increased 212.5 pounds per capita since prohibition," comparing 1927 with 1917. He further stated that "this increased consumption of milk requires over 2,500,000,000 pounds more grain than was required in 1917 for distillation and brewing of liquors. To this must be added 22,000,000,000 pounds of roughage required in addition to the grain. When the beer bottle went out the milk bottle came in. Walter H. Lloyd, editor of the "Ohio Farmer," says: "Prohibition has been a great benefit to American agriculture, to the increase of dairy products, and the increased standards of living of the consumer. It takes more grain to make a quart of milk than a quart of beer, and the increase in the use of dairy products has been especially marked since prohibition."

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fullerton are entertaining guests from Massachusetts.

Mrs. H. I. Bean was a guest in the family of James Kimball last week from Wednesday evening until Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Scribner and daughter Beth were Sunday callers at James Kimball's.

A. A. Bruce was a business visitor at Hugh Stearns' on Sunday.

Mrs. Lilla Stearns returned home Saturday from Bethel Inn where she has been employed.

Rev. W. I. Bull conducted the services at the Albany church on Sunday, preaching a very beautiful sermon, also singing a solo.

Miss Frances Rich, Miss Martha Brown and Mrs. Nancy Andrews called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell recently.

The Circle of last week was attended by a large crowd. Another one June 15, entertained by a group of young people. All come and join in a good time.

Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club

The Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club met with their leader, Ruth Farrell, at her home on Main Street. The meeting consisted of club song, club pledge and flag salute. We voted to have our demonstration sometime in July. We worked on our pictures and stories.

Kathleen Wight, Reporter

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS

REMINGTON UNDERWOOD L. C. SMITH ROYAL CORONA

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## WEST PARIS

Annual Meeting of Bates Club

The annual meeting of the Bates Literary Club was held Thursday at Robbins' Nest, Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Albion L. Abbott host and hostess. At the business meeting officers were elected as follows:

Pres.—Mrs. Jennie Perkins  
Vice-Pres.—Miss Ruth Tucker  
Sec.—Mrs. Esther Young  
Tres.—Mrs. Alice Grover

Program Committee—Mrs. Jennie Perkins, Mrs. Alice Grover, Mrs. Gwendolyn Perham, Mrs. Laurestein Knight, Miss Ruth Tucker.

An excellent program followed the business meeting. Walks around the grounds, readings, and auction for those who enjoyed the fireplace, constituted a very pleasant afternoon, and at supper the ladies were joined by husbands. At the close of the evening three cheers were given for Robbins' Nest and its cordial host and hostess, and an invitation accepted to hold the 1934 meeting there also.

A Fourth of July Celebration will be held at West Paris under the auspices of the West Paris Chamber of Commerce, the proceeds to be used for fire protection. A parade, base ball games, sport events, band concert, and a dinner of beans baked in the ground are some of the treats promised.

The W. C. T. U. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Sadie Patch. A home missionary program was given, and ten bouquets were sent to the aged and shut-ins. A plan of work to get all people to vote was made, as urged at the county convention.

Among those who attended graduation at Norway High School on Thursday evening were Mrs. Hilda Heikkinen, Mrs. Emma Berry, Mrs. Lena Farnum, Mrs. Lena Andrews, Miss Milna Heikkinen of Boston, Mrs. P. S. Farnum, Mrs. C. E. Stearns, Miss Ruth Stearns, Julia Briggs, Shirley Welch, Zilpha Barrows, Mrs. Heikkinen's daughter, Lillian, and Mrs. Berry's grandson, Nolan Jackson, were members of the class.

Eugene Penley returned to the University of Maine Tuesday, after spending a few days at his home, and Joe Penley came home for a few days. Both are members of the graduating class.

Ellen L. Stearns of the Sargent School, Boston, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stearns, and on Monday, accompanied by her parents and sister Ruth, she motored to Peterboro, N. H., where she will continue her studies with undernourished children for the next few weeks. Later she will go to Connecticut, where she has a position until school opens in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley I. Perham have moved to their newly purchased house at Trap Corner.

Mrs. E. R. Berry, Mrs. W. S. Ring, Miss Mabel Ricker and Gwendolyn Ring were in Lewiston shopping Friday.

The Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club will hold their luncheon Thursday at the West Paris Universalist church.

## TWO-MINUTE SERMON (By REV. GEORGE HENRY)

### ONLY A BOY BUT—

Sunday morning a boy came down the aisle at the close of the sermon. He said, "Mr. Henry, I want to be a Christian." His faith was simple and complete. His sincerity can not be questioned. "My boy, you are taking a step that will lead you to the greatest possible results. You have a whole life time before you to give in service to God and others. When a man, full-grown, becomes a Christian, he has only what remains of the strength and purity and time with which God originally endowed him. When an old man begins the Christian life it means that he has spent nearly all of the wealth with which he began life and has very little to give. But when a boy becomes a Christian, God only knows what great good may come out of his life. You are taking a stand today that will bring you great happiness in days to come and will mean great happiness for others, too." He is only a boy, but would it not be well if all would follow his example?

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of South Paris were Sunday callers at Francis Cole's.

Mrs. Frank Coffin was at home Monday afternoon from her work at Wisc's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck and Mrs. Edgar Davis were at Norway Monday evening.

Mrs. Eva Fuller was down to South Paris Sunday to see her daughter, Mrs. Charles Marble.

There was an entertainment at the school house last Wednesday evening. There was a very good program, ice cream, popcorn and candy were sold. There were five and ten cent fish ponds. A large sum was made; nearly nine dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Abbott attended church at Bryant Pond on Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Brown and family visited relatives at Mechanic Falls on Sunday.

## BETHEL SCHOOL BANK REPORT

Week of June 5, 1933

Grade	Sav. Bank	Total	%
I	\$1.00	\$1.20	8
II	1.00	.15	3
III		.05	3
IV		.25	4
	\$2.00	\$1.65	

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VI	1.00	.65	6.6
VII		.20	3.4
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	\$4.00	\$2.45	

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## BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday night with a good attendance.

## LITERARY PROGRAM

Memorial exercises for the departed members.

Reading, G. W. Q. Perham  
Reading, Alice Knight  
Harmonica Duet, with encore, Otis Dudley, Lester Felt

Reading, Florence Cushman  
Reading, Barbara Bennett  
One-minute Play, "Absent-minded," Edwin and Florence Perham

Reading, Little Day Story, Linwood Felt  
"Home Sweet Home," Grange

The next meeting, June 17, will be children's day, at 2 p. m. daylight time.

Jefferson chapter, O. E. S., held its stated meeting last Friday night, June 2d. After the meeting a peanut hunt was enjoyed and refreshments of cake, saltines and punch were served. The July meeting will be in honor of departed members.

The Baccalaureate service was held Sunday evening at the Baptist Church. The address was delivered by Rev. L. A. Edwards of Bethel.

Mrs. John Porter of South Paris is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Noyes.

Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard, and Ruby Willard went to New Hampshire Saturday to attend the wedding of their nephew and cousin.

Ruby Willard is spending the week at Oton with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard.

## GILEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Milan Bennett of Norway were recent guests of relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. Cora Heath has been spending a few days with friends in Bethel.

Miss Rosie Connette of Berlin is assisting in the home of Mrs. Roy Arenburge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Richardson spent the week end with friends in Lisbon.

Mrs. Ruby Rice and daughter, Albertine, were in town recently.

Roy Arenburge of Benton, N. H., spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Lola Lary is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Heath.

Mrs. Edward Holden was a visitor in Bartlett, N. H. Saturday.

Charles Losler and Farrell Witter of Chatham, N. H., spent the week end at their homes here.

Mrs. Helen McLaughlin of Berlin was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden.

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## Capablanca Wins With Living Pieces



Jose Capablanca, famous Cuban chess master, and Prof. Herman Stearns played a spectacular game at the Los Angeles Athletic club with living pieces, all handsomely and appropriately garbed. Capablanca won the game. The photograph shows the board and pieces on the floor of the club's gymnasium.

## FORMER BETHEL TEACHER DIRECTS ART EXHIBIT

The many friends of Miss Gwendolyn Stearns will be interested in the clipping below from the June 2 issue of the Brockton Daily Enterprise. Miss Stearns is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns of Grover Hill, a graduate of Gould Academy, and for several years a popular and successful teacher in Bethel schools. For several years she has been in charge of the art department of the Abington, Mass., High School and has met with pleasing success in this work.

"SCHOOL ART IS EXHIBITED  
"North Abington, June 2.—Drawings, posters and masks assembled from the art courses of the Abington High school, under the direction of Miss Gwendolyn Stearns, are on view at the North Abington Public Library. Civic posters in original designs represent various aspects of home, garden and town improvement. There is a group of water colors of historic costumes, showing the distinctive dress of ancient Greece, Rome, Egypt, the medieval, Byzantine and Anglo-Saxon fashions.

"A most unusual and striking feature is a group of masks made and painted by sophomores and freshmen of the High school. These include Oriental, Egyptian, Ceylonese and Indian masks, as well as allegorical representations. Copies of Frans Hals' "Jester," Rosa Bonheur's "Norman Sire," and a head of George Washington have been remarkably done by Jo Hong. A wide range of talent and execution is to be found in this exhibition."

## WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow were in this vicinity recently.

Miss Mary Lowe of Bethel called on Mrs. Croteau one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Farr of Kennebunk spent Sunday at their place on Howe Hill and called on his brother at West Paris.

Mrs. W. C. Cross of Howe Hill called on her aunt at West Paris Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Mills of Gerham called on her daughter one day last week.

Lilla Conner is working at the Brown Camps where she has worked for the last three summers.

Paul Croteau worked in Albany a few days last week.

Rodney Cross was in town recently.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham, daughter, grandmother, and aunt were callers in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lowell of West Bethel were callers at Paul Croteau's one day last week.

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## NORTH LOVELL

Walter Newcomb has been working for Virgil McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis called on his aunt, Mrs. Clara Russell, Sunday.

Dinner guests at Amos McKee's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lovejoy and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Flint.

Willis Warren worked for Oris Lebaron Friday.

Irving Beckler is staying with his niece, Mrs. John Meserve.

Bernice Bedad spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Butters.

Lillian McKee spent Friday and Saturday night with Yvonne and Ursula Leroque.

Mrs. Walter Laroque has gone to the hospital.

Alice Curtis spent Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Clara Russell.

Woodsum Scribner worked for Perley McKee Monday.

There was a good crowd at the circle supper Friday night.

Alta Meserve and Mrs. Stella McKee entertained. There was a young people's social after supper.

## NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Wight of Framingham, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wight.

W. B. Wight is quite poorly at this writing.

Walter Brinck is doing some farming for L. E. Wight.

The Selectmen are making out taxes this week.

Carl Hakala was in Bethel Monday on business.

Miss Carrie Wight went to Hanover Tuesday morning.

Hartley Hanson and family attended the graduation exercises at Bryant Pond Tuesday night.

L. E. Wight took them down.

Mrs. S. P. Davis entertained her brothers and their families over the week end.

Schools in town will close this week. Graduation will be Friday at the church.

Don't forget the dance at Newry Corner Friday night.

Harry Isaacson was in town on Tuesday.

Daniel Wight and Marie Wildes were at home over the week end.

The man who does things hit or miss usually misses.

## DAIRYMEN TO MEET AT RICHMOND, JUNE 22

The fourteenth annual field day of the Maine Livestock Breeders Association will be held at the Millay Bros. farm, Richmond, on Thursday, June 22, it has been announced by R. F. Talbot, secretary.

James J. Watson, editor of the New England Homestead, Springfield, Mass., is one of the principal speakers. Joseph B. Parker, dairy specialist from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will have charge of the cattle judging contest. This contest, Mr. Talbot says, will be considered by using production records as well as confirmation of the animals as a basis.

Ross Elliott, East Corinth, president of the Association, has assisted in arranging the program.

Millay Bros. have more than 100 head of pure bred Guernsey cattle. They are holders of many state production records as well as two world records. They are doing advanced registry work at the present time. Milk is marketed principally in Bath and Gardiner.

As in former years, each family will bring their own basket lunch. Free coffee will be served.

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named.

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three, and by adjournment from day to day from the third Tuesday of said May.

The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1933, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

John K. Gill, late of Greenwood, deceased; petition for an allowance out of personal estate of said deceased, presented by Florence P. Gill, widow.

Witness, Peter M. MacDonald, Judge of said Court at Paris, this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

10p FRED W. ROWELL, Register.

Wedding Invitations or Announcements Printed at the Citizen Office

## Three Distinct Types of German Dachshund

There is no domestic breed of dogs that lives quite so close to the ground, in every respect, as the dachshund, observes a writer in the Detroit News. He is the underslung model of dogdom. Possessed of an even, kindly and affectionate disposition with the courage, inquisitiveness and tenacity of the terrier, the dachshund has found high favor with those whose search has led them to look for a dog suitable for both field work and home companionship.

Germany is credited with being the original home of the dachshund and it was from this country that our breeding stock was obtained. Three distinct types are recognized: The short-haired, the wire-haired and the long-haired. All conform, however, to the same body standards characteristic of this breed. In general appearance they are low to the ground, long body, short legged with robust muscular development. The forelegs are straight. The feet are large and well-padded. The coat color is generally black and tan, although there are strains that show a marked tendency toward solid red, tan and brown.

More is made of the dachshund in European countries as a hunting dog than in America. There it is frequently referred to as the "badger hound," being used in badger hunting extensively.

## Committee of States Once Ruled the U. S.

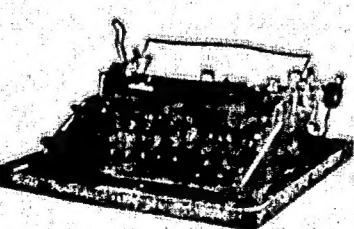
There was no executive head of the United States under the Articles of Confederation. These provided that congress should have authority to appoint a "committee of the states," to consist of one delegate from each state, to sit in the recess of congress. The president of the congress came the nearest to being an executive head. But he, and the "committee of the states" and several other boards and committees exercised their authority more or less jointly.

Among those who served as presidents of congress were Payton Randolph of Virginia, John Hancock of Massachusetts, John Jay of New York, Richard Henry Lee of Virginia, and Arthur St. Clair of Pennsylvania. There were nine or ten others who filled the office.

## Trees of Vanished Race

A vanished race has left traces of an active life on the shores of north-east Greenland, says the Montreal Herald. No trace of living Eskimos in that district has been known since 1823. It is thought that some sudden tragedy must have overcome the Eskimos, because in several huts were found a number of skeletons. In one place the explorers of the Royal Geographical Society found a number of implements among the ruins, many of which were preserved and of archaeological value. To judge from the implements, the coast seems to have been inhabited about 1400 B.C.

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## Lord's Garage

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from families" that have afforded it under economic conditions. Excessive drunkenness as police reports. It has been shown by the wet organizations,—"Crusade" on page 90, the consumption per person lowered from 20 to 9 gallons. Every liquor has been re-prohibition. No wet has ever brought na-pool to the contrary; ments have always in area and time, nation-wide, contrast-oon era, nation-wide, to sixty per cent bet-tem.

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## Waterford

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## Burglar Alarm

By ALICE DUANE

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THE bareheaded young man who stopped before the Barkley Jones house did not look undernourished or weak. He was tall and thin.

He glanced at the front door, then at a slip of paper in his hand. Then he rather stealthily made his way from the front of the house to the back door.

He asked the maid who answered his rapping if there was something to be done about the place. "Just anything," he said.

Annie, the maid, gave one look into his gray eyes and decided that, if she had to pay him out of her own pocket, he would have work for the afternoon.

"Sure," she said. "Just sit down on the steps and I'll ask."

She hurried off to her mistress.

This lady, overplump, over-endowed with this world's goods, sat idly before the living room fire. "I must say, Elsie," she said irritably to a young girl who was playing solitaire, "that you're about as unpleasant a guest as I can imagine. Can't you suggest something to do?"

"Oh," said the girl contritely, "I'm awfully sorry, Aunt Bess, but I came to visit you just to get away from seeing people, especially men. I just love to sit here safely."

"It's safe enough," asserted Aunt Bess—otherwise Mrs. Barkley Jones. "But I'm bored." Then catching sight of Annie at the door, "Well, now what?" she asked crossly.

Annie told her story.

"A poor young fellow," she said, "has been looking as you please, and he doesn't look as if he'd eaten for a week. Just anything he'll do, he says."

"Oh, well," Mrs. Jones couldered. "Why, of course, you couldn't turn him away. Tell him he can sit in the cellar. And make him some coffee and sandwiches, if you want."

"I wish," Elsie thought, "that I hadn't been such a fool. But it was his fault, too. He was too brutal to leave me without a chance of explanation. I wish I'd sent him that letter. It would be better to have him know I haven't a speck of pride than not to have him."

In the cellar the young man—"My name's Pete," he told Annie—"was looking in troubled perplexity at the neat tray the maid had just brought him. A small pot of coffee, cream and sugar, a pile of bread and butter, sliced chicken and ham.

"More food," he thought. "What'll I do with it? I can't hurt the girl's feelings. Oh, well," he thought, "I might as well try it."

Then, fortified by his lunch, he began to clean up the cellar.

It wasn't until he was almost through that Annie was frightened. Then she realized what he probably was—a burglar.

Annie couldn't stand keeping her suspicions to herself. "Here," she said, "you empty these trash baskets into the barrel there." And she went upstairs, carefully locking the door at the top of the kitchen side, so that the man couldn't follow her.

She burst in upon Mrs. Jones and Elsie.

"Oh, Mrs. Jones," she cried, "it's my fault, I suppose—but that young fellow down there—he's been asking me questions, and I'm afraid I've told him a lot about the house and the family! Such a nice young man he seemed, too, at first. But he's a burglar!" And Annie began to cry.

Aunt Bess subsided into a state of semihysteria. It was the last straw, she thought, as she watched Elsie trying to quiet the weeping Annie.

"But he can't be a burglar," Aunt Bess said Elsie reasonably. "He was too obvious, pumping Annie like that. I'll go and see." And she started collarward, the shaken and still fearful Annie close behind her.

In the cellar, when Elsie got there, bending over the trash barrel with a rapid and excited expression, was the young man.

"Why, Peter Wales!" cried Elsie. "How on earth did you get here?"

"Misunderstood this morning. Found out at your house where you'd gone. I knew you wouldn't see me, so I tried this way of get-

ting in with some old clothes." He smiled at the bewildered Annie. Then he walked over to Elsie and took her firmly in his arms. "Now listen to me, Elsie," he said. "We'll have no more fooling. You'll marry me—now. As soon as we can get a license. You and I both made a mistake with our silly quarrel."

"Oh, Peter," said Elsie—"I can't! But how did you know?"

"Here!" Peter held her with one arm. He spread the other hand in front of her. She took from it a crumpled, torn scrap of paper. "I saw this in the rubbish—it must have come from your trash basket, a piece of a letter you'd written to me and then torn up when you decided not to send it."

With shining eyes and flushed cheeks Elsie read, in her own handwriting: "—a silly mistake. Oh, Peter, I can't live without you."

Annie gazed in unnoticed fascination as Peter pressed his lips to Elsie's. Aunt Bess waited in chill and shuddering fear, for news of the burglar.

## SOUTH BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Brooks from West Paris, and father, Henry Brooks, have moved into the upstairs rent at Frank Brooks'.

Mrs. Agnes Walker has gone to her son's, Gerald Walker's, at So. Paris to care for his wife and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, Verna and Alice Mason and Henry Brooks were at Locke Mills Saturday evening.

Avern Lapham from Hanover was a caller at Frank Brooks' Monday forenoon.

Henry Brooks and son Ellsworth are working in the woods peeling pulp.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason daughters, Verna and Alice, and Alfred Mason were at William Mason's on Chandler Hill Sunday afternoon.

Out of town callers at Frank Brooks' Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Brooks and two children from Rowe Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Newell and two children, Margaret and Junior from Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Naimy and two sons from Bethel, Gertrude and Junior Mason from Chandler Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harthorne and daughter, Rita, were at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harthorne Sunday.

George Leonard spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leonard. He has employment in one of the government forestry camps.

John Howe and daughter were at the home of Agnes Walker on Sunday.

There have been several through here selling tomato plants, but they will have another chance if the frosts keep coming.

Herman Bean from West Paris moved the furniture up for Ellsworth Brooks on Monday.

Mrs. Louise Knight and daughter, Mrs. Henry Hall, and children, visited Ida York on Rowe Hill one day last week.

## SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. Mary Foster spent Wednesday afternoon with Gard Brown's family.

Roland Annis and family called on Mrs. Joe Splaney last week.

R. L. Foster and Ramsey Reynolds spent Saturday night in Ketchikan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett from Arlington, Mass., visited at J. W. Crosby's over Sunday.

Ellas Burgess and family of Noosah, N. H., spent Memorial Day with Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds.

Roland and Nettie Fleet, Mrs. Roger Foster and Mrs. Bertha Bean attended Pomona at West Bethel Tuesday.

Robert Foster was at the Selectmen's office last Wednesday, making out tax bills.

Lottie Nordin, who has been working in Templeton, Me., is at home.

## HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

### Questions

- 1 Name the present Secretary of the U. S. Senate.
- 2 Who was the youngest son of Jacob?
- 3 What was the cause of the war of 1812?
- 4 What are the three general departments of our government?
- 5 What year did the United States enter the World War?
- 6 What is meant by the timber line?
- 7 Who wrote "Riders of the Purple Sage"?
- 8 What causes thunder?
- 9 What are Roberts Rules of Order?
- 10 According to Richelieu what is mightier than the sword?

### Answers to Last Week's Questions

- 1 Daniel Colhoun Roper.
- 2 The Mississippi river in the United States.
- 3 Madame Curie and her husband.
- 4 Glacier.
- 5 Nitrogen.
- 6 Sheep.
- 7 American Indians.
- 8 Threes.
- 9 It contains a large amount of iron.
- 10 Elijah. (II Kings 2:11.)

## LOCKE MILLS

The Smoky Mountain Boys from Greenwood gave a social at the Town Hall Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Senior Class at Woodstock High School. About \$12 was cleared.

The Misses Hazel and Maude Salls, Bernice Tripp and Alice Chute attended the graduation exercises at Mechanic Falls Thursday night. Anna Maxin, who formerly lived here, was one of the graduates.

Mrs. Cora Crockett attended the graduation of her niece, Eleanor Heald, at Buckfield Thursday.

Several from this vicinity were in Lewiston Saturday.

Ethel May Shorey and her playmates presented their first play here for the season, "Silent Snipers," Wednesday night, June 7.

Eleanor Heald is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Cora Crockett.

Mary Norton is spending a week at home.

Many from this place attended the graduation exercises at Woodstock High School Tuesday evening, June 6. Several from here were among the graduates.

It is easy to get sentiment worked up against a manufacturer using sweat shop methods but it is quite another problem to get the same people to pay more for a garment produced under desirable working conditions.

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## SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Nearly everyone attended church services Sunday, many going to W. Paris, others to Bryant Pond. At both places large audiences listened to the baccalaureate sermons delivered by the able pastors, Rev. E. B. Forbes at West Paris and Rev. L. A. Edwards of Bethel at Bryant Pond.

On Sunday, May 28, the Daughters of Veterans from Bryant Pond came to Union Cemetery and decorated the graves of the soldiers with United States flags. There are many soldiers buried here, 15 graves or nearly that number. Some are without markers.

It is rather late to be writing about Maybaskets but the last week in May an unusually large number were hung and one of the largest and best was hung at the residence of G. W. Q. Perham in honor of his birthday, a beautiful creation in pink and white with emblems P. of H. for decorations. The family party were enjoying a card game, a favorite pastime of Mr. Perham, when bang! bang! on the door—confusion reigned for the moment. Quimby felt sure something had exploded, such a loud bang. A Maybasket and "Run, dad it's for you," said Edwin. And Quimby did run till every one was caught, never minding how many mud holes he fell into. Everybody was invited in and enjoyed a nice treat of popcorn which somehow had been prepared in anticipation of emergencies. "One of the best and happiest surprises of all my birthdays," reports Quimby.

The camp-fires of "The Molly Ocketts" burned late. A council was held. Chief Big Gun sat stolidly apart. The young braves waited silently. Big Gun spoke, "Tomorrow morning, before the sun tips the pinnacle of Old Molly Ockett, let each and every brave prepare for the trail. For three nights I have seen the fires burning at the camp of our enemies. There is feasting and weird sounds of revelry. Shall we sit here like idle women? Before tomorrow's going down of the sun we will meet them, the war cry shall echo, we will defend our prowess with the 'Bucks of Buckfield.' Morning came, then the departure. Strong and lithe of limb, America's best. Contrary to tribal custom, many of the beautiful dark eyed maidens also followed the trail and from a vantage point viewed the fray which was fraught to the finish, resulting in a big victory of 11 to 2. Hurrah for the braves of Molly Ockett!

The "Conant Farm" formerly the famous "Wyman Berry Farm" has been leased to a family by the name of Tunney. Mr. Tunney likes a farm.

## WEEK END Special Values

--Friday and Saturday Only--

- Seaside SALMON, 3 cans 35c
- Pure VANILLA, 2 oz. 23c
- Gold Medal Imitation Vanilla, 4 oz. 23c
- Pure CIDER VINEGAR, gal. 30c
- Orange Blossom COFFEE, lb. 23c
- Orange Blossom TEA, 1/2 lb. 32c
- Chocolate Cream-Filled Sandwich Cookies, lb. 10c
- VANILLA WAFERS, lb. 10c
- Health Fruit Cereal Cookies, lb. 10c

## Allen's Market

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and looks forward with pleasure to the products of the farm, many of which has already been placed in anticipation of a good harvest.

Frank Andrews celebrated his 76th birthday, June 2, when he was called on by friends in the neighborhood. Mr. Andrews has been a lifelong resident of Woodstock, retiring from active labor for the past 20 years, previous to which he was a member of firm of I. W. Andrews & Sons, concern in continuous service for a period of 110 years.

## NEWRY

H. E. Morton has men with him hauling sand along the road for the tar.

H. R. Powers and family were callers at Mrs. C. E. Burgess' Sunday.

Robert Foster of Sunday River and Harry Powers were at L. Wight's last week making taxes.

The schools close this week with day with an entertainment and a donation.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thurston and Mrs. R. R. Powers were at G. Learned's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Walker were in Paris one day last week.

Mr. Burnham has bought a recently. He has done quite a lot of planting.

Mrs. Mary Moore of Bethel visited at Charles Robertson's last Sunday.

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As Jim opened the door, the girl spoke.

"Wait, please."

"Yes, Miss?"

She faced them bravely. "I suppose I'm a fool," she said. "But I believe I can trust you. If you don't mind staying a little longer, I'll be glad to tell you the whole truth."

Even yet Hanvey did not press his advantage. Reagan was fighting to restrain his own impatience—and meeting with little success. Here was the big chance; an opportunity to gather important facts from a woman who had been locked up for two days and was willing to talk.

But Reagan was a good sport. If he didn't understand Hanvey's slow, friendly, ponderous methods, he could at least follow them since he himself had offered the case to the fat man.

They sat down themselves once more and Tony spoke in a brittle voice.

"What is it first, Mr. Hanvey?"

"We'll, suppose we start with your visit to Larry Welch. What did he say when you told him you were married to Thayer? Was he sore?"

"No-o. I wouldn't say that exact-ly." The thing seemed to shock him.

"Did he say anything about seeing Thayer?"

"Yes. He wanted to go right over, but I begged him not to."

"Why?"

"Because I wanted to see Pat first."

"For what reason, Miss Peyton?"

"Because . . . well, there's another detail we left out. Larry was quite determined that Pat should not go with Ivy any more. I had a right to seal his lips about my marriage to Pat, but I had no right to say that he shouldn't keep him from going with Ivy. So I asked him not to go over until I had seen Pat myself."

"Why?"

"She met Jim's kindly eyes levelly. 'I was afraid.'"

"Of what?"

"A fight. Pat Thayer was a big man. Larry is perhaps more powerful. So far as I know, Mr. Thayer was not a coward, and no man can very well permit another to order him away from a girl without—well, without resenting it."

"I see. . . And why were you afraid of a fight?"

"Because of the scandal," she answered promptly. "Larry is an instructor here. He is about to earn his Master's degree. It wouldn't have been nice."

"You weren't afraid of any serious results—that is, physical results?"

"No. Of course my sympathies were all with Larry, and I knew he could handle Mr. Thayer."

Jim focused his eyes on the toothpick. "You are in love with Larry Welch?"

Her cheek grew white, but she did not evade.

"Yes."

"Does he know it?"

"Yes."

"How long has he known it?"

"I think he has known it for a long time, but I didn't put it into words until—until day before yesterday."

"I see. . . Day before yesterday Larry learned that a married man was fooling with his kid sister. He learned that you could not marry him because you were married to another man—the same man. He learned of the petty blackmail which Thayer had practiced on you. It makes a rather damning lineup, doesn't it, Miss Peyton?"

"Yes. And I've told it to you straight because I believe Larry is innocent."

"I hope so. . . Now would you mind telling me what happened when you went to see Thayer at the fraternity house?"

"I went there with a definite object in mind, Mr. Hanvey. A girl cannot visit a man's room in a fraternity house without starting all kinds of gossip. I told him that I had done that so I would have no choice but to announce our marriage. You see, I felt that I could spike his guns that way."

"For what?"

"So that he'd have to drop Ivy Welch—or else she would drop him—and that would make it unnecessary for Larry to interfere."

"You were still afraid of what might happen between Larry and Thayer?"

"Yes—and I regretted having told Larry. But things happened so fast and I had been under such a strain for so long a time. . . I—I just wanted someone to talk to."

"While you were in Thayer's room . . . ?"

"He was furious, of course. We quarreled bitterly. I suppose I was as angry as he was. And then I left."

"Where was he when you left, Miss Peyton?"

"Standing near the dresser."

"Alive?"

"Of course. . . Surely you don't think . . . ?"

"I had to ask you that. I'm sorry. Did you know that Larry Welch has been arrested?"

"Yes. . . She spoke almost in a whisper."

"Do you realize that everything you have told me serves to incriminate him?"

"Yes." She flung her head back. "I don't believe the truth can hurt anybody. I know Larry didn't do it, just as I know that I didn't. I've told the plain, straight truth, and that's all. It's what Larry would have me do."

"It isn't what he has done," said Jim softly. "He hasn't been honest with us."

"He couldn't be. He gave me his word that he wouldn't tell anybody I was Pat Thayer's wife."

"He didn't tell us any untruths about that, Miss Peyton; he simply kept his mouth shut. It was on something more important. He says that when he left the fraternity house, Pat Thayer was alive."

"And why isn't that the truth?"

"I can't tell you why, Miss Peyton, but I am saying that I am sure it is a lie. I'll bet my right hand that when Larry Welch left that fraternity house, Pat Thayer was dead. And Larry knew it!"

She did not indulge in dramatics. She merely sat very still and her body seemed to get cold as ice.

She stared at the huge figure opposite.

Hanvey met her look. And she, searching the moonlike face for a vestige of reassurance, saw nothing but grim honesty.

"Then," she gasped, "you think Larry killed him?"

"I can't say that, Miss Peyton."

He amended gently. "I do believe that he fled when he said 'Thayer was alive' which he left. And now I know why."

"Why, then?"

"To shield you. He had just learned your secret. He knew—probably—that you had been to see Thayer. And if he didn't kill Thayer, then he found the only way when he got there and thought you had done it. It's a situation as old as romance. But at any rate, it was a pretty fine thing for him to do, because by his own admission Thayer was alive while he was there, which makes it certain that he must have done the killing."

"Larry didn't do it, Mr. Hanvey. I feel that."

"So do I. But if he didn't—who did?"

She shook her head. "I don't know."

"It wasn't Larry, you say."

"He couldn't do a thing like that—even in a fight."

"It wasn't you."

"Is that—is that a question, Mr. Hanvey—or a statement?"

The big man smiled slightly. "I don't know. Do you?"

"I didn't kill him."

Hanvey rose and shook his head. "This ain't any cinch, Miss Peyton. If I'm to believe what I hear: you didn't kill him and neither did Larry Welch. It almost looks like if I carry the investigation far enough I'll find out he ain't dead."

Suddenly he started forward. "I'm sorry, Miss Peyton. I didn't mean to crush any more jokes. Honest, I didn't. I'm just a d-d blue-daring jackass."

Out in the courtyard of the jail, John Reagan turned admiringly to his companion.

"I'll hand it to you, Jim: you're a marvel. But how in h—l do you do it?"

"Oh! I dunno, John. Shooting squares with 'em maybe. And may be it's because they look me over and decide I'm so damn stupid I wouldn't understand a lie if I heard one."

"Him. . . And now?"

"What do you think, John: Welch or Miss Peyton?"

"Neither," snapped Reagan. "It was Max Vernon. Just like I said at first. It happened this way and I'll bet a nickel on it: Tony Peyton went there just like she said. Then Vernon went to Thayer's room and killed him—not meaning to kill him when he went in, maybe, but doing it in a fight. Larry Welch gets there a little later and finds the body. Thinks Tony did it. Pulls the hero stuff. What do you think of that?"

"Sounds reasonable," commented Jim guardedly. "Anyhow, I reckon there ain't any objection to lettin' Welch and Miss Peyton out on bond, is there?"

"None, whatever," agreed Reagan. He rubbed the palms of his hands together. "I feel like we're getting somewhere at last."

"So do I," grinned Jim Hanvey. "The thing I am puzzled about is this: Where?"

### CHAPTER XI

HANVEY gazed at the gray walls of the jail and nodded as though having reached a startling conclusion.

"I believe our next move, John, is to have a talky-talk with Mister Maxwell Vernon."

"Good Lord! Has it taken you all this time to think of that?"

"Uh-huh. My brain was never strong on speed."

Reagan was earnest. "Quit kid-din', Jim. Why did you leave this palooka for the last?"

"Because I wanted to hear what everybody else had to say. From what you tell me, Vernon is lying high, wide and handsome and I wanted to form some idea about what was truth and what wasn't."

"Sensible enough. Let's go."

Back into the brilliance of the warden's office and thence down the dimly lighted corridor on which were the rooms used for those prisoners who seemed entitled to something better than the ordinary cells. The turnkey admitted them to a room identical with the ones occupied by Tony Peyton and Larry Welch. They stood in the doorway and Hanvey regarded the occupant through sleepy half-closed eyes.

Vernon was seated on his cot. He had doffed coat and tie and his shirt was open at the throat. His long black hair was somewhat tousled and his chubby face wore an expression of belligerence. His whole manner—even before a word was spoken—was combative.

Jim seated himself and smiled lazily at the prisoner. He felt rather sorry for the boy, fat, good natured, easy-going. And now suddenly enmeshed in a tragedy which he couldn't quite understand Jim's voice came. "What's this?"

"Things been happenin' pretty fast, ain't they, Son?"

Vernon looked up sharply. "What things?"

"Oh, plenty."

"I don't know what you mean."

"Shhh! Sure you do."

Max rose and tried to look dignified. He succeeded only in appearing somewhat ludicrous and entirely pitiful.

"I haven't anything to say, Mr. Hanvey."

"Well, what do you know about that? I haven't asked you anything have I?"

"No, but—"

"Listen to me, Son: answer me one question."

"What is it?"

"Did you kill Pat Thayer?"

Vernon's eyes closed. He pulled himself together with a visible effort.

"No."

"Then I think you better talk to me plain and honest. Of course, if you did kill him, the best thing you can do is keep your mouth shut. Now—what say you?"

"Nothing. I'm not going to talk."

"A right. I ain't gonna argue with you." He reached inevitably for the golden toothpick. "Swell new rat you got, Son."

Vernon was stonily silent.

"Swell rat," repeated Hanvey. "Sure wish I could own one like that. But I wouldn't buy one just after I'd had a row with another man."

"I didn't row with anybody."

"Not? Not even Pat Thayer?"

Max was trembling. Boyishly, he was struggling to keep actual tears from his eyes. "You're trying to trap me! I know! And I'm not going to say anything. Not anything at all!"

"That's up to you, Son. But suppose you tell me this: What happened between you and Thayer in the fraternity house day before yesterday somewhere about one o'clock in the afternoon?"

"In the fraternity house? Nothing happened."

"You went to his room, didn't you?"

"No."

"Aw, Son! You know dog-gone good and well you went to Pat Thayer's room. Now why don't you tell us what happened?"

"I didn't go near his room," cried Vernon harshly. "I went to my own room and changed my clothes and then I left the house. I never saw Thayer for a moment all the time I was in there."

Jim shook his big head. "I hate to see you fighting me, Son, when I'm trying to help—"

"Like h—l you are! You're try-

ing to mix me up in Pat Thayer's murder."

"I'm trying to get the truth. Does that mix you up?"

"No, but—"

"Just before you went to the fraternity house, you and Thayer had a big row on the campus, didn't you?"

"Who says so?"

"Several people. And also there ain't much question that you were pretty sore at him. Now I ask you this: Why?"

"I had reason enough. I thought he was my friend. I've been buddies with him for two years. He's been winning all my money at cards. I guess I would have been a dumb-bell all my life if I hadn't got sore at him over something else."

"Stealing your girl, for instance?"

Max looked up sharply, and became boyishly dignified. "I—I'd really rather not talk about that angle of it, Mr. Hanvey," he said gently.

"As you say, Vernon. But when this other thing happened—your getting sore—what then?"

"I started thinkin'—for the first time. And I began to suspect that I wasn't all just needin' that Thayer had been nice to me so long as I had money; but the minute I went broke he lost interest in me and started going with . . . that big doing things to make me sore. And it struck me that it was queer he had always won at cards. Oh! I was awed enough, but I walked up at it at once."

"And you got about as mad as you ever had been in your life. You went to Thayer's room in the fraternity house—"

"I did not! I told you before I never went near his room."

"So you did. I thought maybe you'd remembered that you were mistaken. Anyway, you were in the house at the same time he was. After awhile you left there hurriedly, with a bundle under your arm, didn't you? What was in that bundle, Vernon?"

"To be continued—"

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"I did not! I told you before I never went near his room."

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## For Sale

**FOR SALE** My Real Estate situated at Middle Intervale on east bank of Androscoggin River, consisting of about 75 acres of timberland and Intervale. Enormous amount of growing timber. Chance for several desirable cottage lots on main road. Automobile driveway to river bank. This is a very desirable place of property. Will sell the whole or part as anyone desires. Will close by with ready sale for timber. My reason for selling, ill health. This property can be bought for a very reasonable price. H. A. PACKARD, Bethel, Me. 91f

**FOR RENT**—Heated Apartment. Five rooms and bath. Three dollars weekly. Apply Paul Thurston, or Tel. 125. 91f

**FOR SALE**—Dave's Fruit Store. Stock and fixtures at a very low price. Reason for selling, death in family. 8p

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**FOR SALE**—Cottage lots and shore property on Lake Twitcheell, Greenwood, and Lake Christopher, Bryants Pond, Maine. R. R. BILLINGS, Bryants Pond, Maine. 21f

**WHILE THEY LAST**—I will install range burners that you will like as follows: \$12.50, \$15.50, \$18.50 and \$25.50. I also have a few good used ranges for sale very cheap. H. ALTON BACON, Bryants Pond, Me. 40

## Miscellaneous

Beginning June 1, I will deliver milk in Bethel village for eight cents a quart. E. F. PETERKIN. 11p

**GUNS, Rifles, Ammunition and Trappers' Supplies**, bought, sold, and exchanged. H. I. BEAN, Fur Buyer and Lumber Dealer, Bethel, Maine. 23ff

## Born

In Bethel, June 4, to the wife of William Young, a daughter.

In Norway, May 25, to the wife of Homer W. Truman, a son, Stanley Melvin.

In Norway, May 22, to the wife of Edwin A. Emerson, a daughter, Clara Mae.

In Hiram, May 24, to the wife of Charles Cutting of Andover, a son, Stephen Charles.

## Married

In South Paris, June 3, by Rev. Eleazar H. Forbes, Henry W. Martin and Miss Esther M. DeWater, both of South Paris.

In Farmington, May 20, by Rev. Fr. Walsh, William Theodore M. Caffery of Rehoboth, N. H., and Miss Katherine Singleton of Mexico.

## Died

In Norway, May 29, Barbara Ethel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Noyes, aged 3 days.

In Hiram, May 29, Fred H. Gibson, a native of Norway, aged 73 years.

In Eaton, June 5, Wirt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Colby, aged 13 years.

## "Foolishment"

By FRED BURROWS

By McClure Newspaper Syndicate. WNT 9-10-11

SAM JACKSON opened the door of the safe slowly, but thankfully. In the safe was a certain paper. On this paper appeared the signature of a number of hot-headed young men who, in the heat of their indignation at what they considered a wrong dealing on the part of the government, had signed this document pledging themselves to overthrow the government. Since signing the document the young men had all seen the error of their ways. Now they were exceedingly anxious to destroy the evidence of their foolishness. And Jackson, in entering this office and in opening this safe, was acting for the young men of whom the main leader was his younger brother.

The office in which Jackson was now standing and the safe he was now opening were those of Claude Lagrange, a shyster lawyer, who had been largely instrumental in working the young men up to the point of signing the paper.

The minute Jackson had opened the outer door of the safe and then the thinner door inside he dashed a pocket light on the safe's shelves and compartments. There were filled with papers. Seeking the great quantity of material he had to go through Jackson impatiently jerked the papers forth and began examining them carefully. At last he found the paper he was searching for and caught it up with a sigh of relief.

At this instant a dim figure rose from a crouching position in front of the window, flashed a light full on Jackson and cried:

"Hands up!"

"Walk over to that table in the center of the room, put that paper in the center of the table, and then sit down, but keep your hands up!" went on the voice.

And now Jackson thrilled to the sound of the voice. There was no mistaking the identity of the person issuing the voice. It was Clara Ferguson, a recent newcomer in the city, with whom Jackson had fallen violently in love and who had told him one evening not so long ago that she reciprocated his affection.

"Clara!" cried Jackson. "Y—Yes, it's me," came Clara's voice. "Oh, Sam, I'm so sorry it's you. I've got to—arrest you!" "Arrest?" cried Sam. "I don't understand this at all!"

"Don't you see?" cried Clara. "I'm in the federal secret service. The government heard about this conspiracy these local young men were mixed up in and sent me here to find out all about it."

Clara in the secret service? There had always been some mystery connected with her occupation from the time she arrived in the city. So she had been detailed on the case? There had been rumors of a secret service agent being on the job. That was one of the reasons why the young men had been so anxious to recover that damning paper.

Slowly Sam took his seat at the table, his face blanched, his heart beating rapidly. As he seated himself Clara switched on the lights in the room and then seated herself opposite him. As she did so Sam threw the paper to the center of the table in front of him.

"Clara," said Sam, "this is a fearful mess we're in. How can I ever explain the whole thing to you?"

"I'm sorry—dreadfully sorry," she said. "I had no idea it was going to be you when I got the tip that the paper was to be taken from the safe tonight. But, Sam, I've got to see to it that you're taken to the proper authorities."

"But, Clara," Sam protested, "I'm not in this thing myself. I staidly came here to get a paper my younger brother signed in a moment of foolishness."

"Now well have to go," she said. "Stand up!" she commanded.

It was while Clara was slowly rising that an amazing intervention occurred. Through the open window a heavy woman rushed into the room. Sam recognized her at once. She was Hannah—Clara's colored

"Mamma!" she had come with her to the city.

"What's—huh foolishment?"

Mrs. Clara, I done followed you, 'cause I thinks you-all mighten get into trouble. And I done hear you."

As she spoke Mamma caught up the paper from the center of the table. Calmly she drew a match from a capacious pocket, struck it and set fire to the paper.

"Mamma, put that out at once!" cried Clara angrily.

"Huh, yuah ol' mammy knows what's best," cried Mamma and calmly ignored Clara.

Fascinated, Sam watched the hungry flames eat up the paper—the only existing evidence of his young brother's and his brother's hot-headed chums foolishly planned conspiracy. And as the last bit of paper was consumed Sam looked across the table at Clara. He saw in her eyes a look of inexpressible relief.

Then Sam went around the table and caught Clara in his arms. As he did so he heard Mamma muttering satisfiedly to herself.

"Huh, jes' plain foolishment!" said Mamma.

## HERE AND THERE IN MAINE

Robert Braun, conservator of the Fidelity Trust Company, sued Financial Institutions, Inc., for \$700,000 Tuesday in an attempt to recover \$350,000 due the bank on an assessment of double liability on stock held by that concern.

After his car stalled on a railroad crossing at Richmond Tuesday, Isadore Fournier was carried 300 feet on the cowcatcher of a fast freight train before the train could be stopped. A woman and child in the car were thrown from the car by the impact but four other passengers left the auto before the crash. None of the passengers suffered serious injuries.

A 12½ per cent increase in wages has been announced by the management of the Lockwood cotton mill at Waterville.

In order to correct many stories, the manager of the Mount Zion Spring Water Co. of Rumford has stated that there will be no brewery at Mt. Zion and the company will not handle 3.2 beer.

Romeo Collette of New Auburn has received \$936 from the Treasury Department for a large package of bills which he returned to Washington after it had been through the fire. He thought there was \$1088 in the box before the fire.

One man was killed and seven injured near Passadunkang Monday night when a trailer heavily loaded with boats crashed into a truck carrying twenty river drivers. The truck left the road when it struck a soft place and the crew was entangled in the wreckage.

Henry Skillin, aged 83, of North Farmington, was found in his burning garage Tuesday with a fatal shotgun wound in his head. His shotgun was nearby with an empty shell in the chamber, but an autopsy was ordered on the possibility of foul play.

The Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey circus has secured the State \$500 circus license and will exhibit at Portland June 24. Four circus licenses were issued by the Secretary of State last year.

Cyrus H. K. Curtis, a native of Portland, passed away at his home in Wynote, Pa., Wednesday morning after a year's illness. He would have been 83 years old on June 18. Mr. Curtis established the Ladies' Home Journal, founded the Curtis Publishing Co., and was president of Curtis-Martin Newspapers, Inc. Several years ago he presented one of the largest organs in the world to the City of Portland.

The superintendent of the Lewiston street light department has given notice that street lamps broken by boys will not be replaced. In some sections bulbs are broken repeatedly and their replacement costs a large sum each year.

## 25 YEARS AGO

Items from Citizen of June 11, 1908

The roof of the creamery building caught fire last Thursday noon, but the flames were well checked with a hand hose before the arrival of the fire companies. The fire caught from sparks from the chimney.

Students of the Grammar School enjoyed a Field Meet at Riverside Park Saturday afternoon the generosity of Mr. Boardman.

Last week J. Waldo Nash, taxidermist, passed through Bethel for the Lakes to do special work for Dutton at Mettalluc Island.

The lake at Norway is higher than has been known for years, and there has some anxiety about the dam holding at the outlet of the lake.

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

### FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor

11:00 Children's Day Exercises.

The officers and Committees have arranged a very pleasing program in which our youthful pupils aided by their seniors will, in song and story, again remind us of the place Children have in our Church and Home Life. During the service there will be an opportunity for parents to present their children for baptism. The pastor will give a short address appropriate to the occasion.

On Tuesday, June 13, the Oxford County Association of Ministers and Churches will hold their annual meeting in our church. The meeting will open at 10 o'clock a. m., Daylight Saving Time, and continue through the afternoon. All are welcome to all the services. The general theme will be, "The Church and Prohibition."

### METHODIST CHURCH

R. C. Dalzell, Pastor

9:45 Sunday School, Supt. Evans Wilson.

11:00 Morning Worship. Rev. H. N. Hanson will show pictures and preach on his work in India.

6:30 Epworth League.

7:30 Evening Service.

7:30 Tuesday evening. Prayer service.

On June 13 the W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Fannie B. Lovejoy.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, "God the Preserver of Man."

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

## NOTICE TO OWNERS OF DOGS

PUBLIC LAWS OF MAINE

Sec. 158. Dogs to be annually registered, numbered and licensed; license fee; kennel license; for kennel license. R. S. c. 4, § 158. Every owner or keeper, on the day of April, of a dog more than four months old, shall annually before the tenth day of said April cause it to be registered, numbered and licensed for a year commencing with the first of April aforesaid, in the office of the clerk of the city or town where said dog is kept, and shall mark around its neck a collar distinctly marked with the owner's name, its registered number, and shall pay to said clerk for a license a sum of one dollar and fifteen cents for each male dog and for a female dog incapable of producing young so kept, and five dollars and fifteen cents for each female capable of producing young.

Sec. 161. Penalty for keeping licensed dog. R. S. c. 4, § 161. Whoever keeps a dog contrary to the provisions of this chapter shall forfeit ten dollars, five of which shall be paid to the complainant and five to the treasurer of the town in which the dog is kept, in addition thereto shall pay the cost of prosecution.

It is necessary that you license your dog at once, and save expense of collection.

10 - SELECTMEN OF BETHEL

Speaking over the radio June Mrs. Grace Kendrick of Goodwill Mills, York County, said: "Before we had the Square Meals for Health project there was much competition between the dinner committees, see which one could serve the most elaborate meals at community meetings. Now we try to see we can plan the most inexpensive meals and also one that does not take long to put on the table."

**ODEON HALL, BETHEL**

**Saturday Night, June 1**

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**GEORGE M. COHAN**

**CLAUDETTE COLBERT**

**JIMMY DURANTE**

in

**The PHANTOM**

**PRESIDENT**

Cartoon — Sound News

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

of the Opening of

**PURRINGTON'S NEW STORE**

**and Beauty Parlor**

**Center Lovell, Me.**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 8th**

Distributors for

S. S. Pierce Co., handling fancy groceries at Boston prices.

United Drug Co., carrying Rexall Products, Puretest and Firstaid Remedies.

Branch office of the Western Union Telegraph Co.

Ladies' and Gents' Sportswear including sweaters, riding

logs, hosiery, underwear and shoes.

**Beauty Parlor Open June 15th**

with Mrs. Purrington and an expert operator from

Boston in attendance.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis, Berlin on business Wednesday. The R. F. D. carriers, one, two and three, are having vacations now.

Miss Josephine Smith was a guest of Miss Virginia the first of the week.

Mrs. W. C. Bryant is coming home by illness. A in attendance at present.

Mrs. Laurence Lord, Wade Thurston were shown Berlin Saturday afternoon.

Charles Cross of Gould Academy attended the Gould Academy reunion exercises last Thursday.

Wilson and Trafton Barton gone to Grafton where working for Mr. R. Hastings.

New House Dresses, 1.98c. LYON.

Dr. Ralph O. Hood will town Friday and return to his practice Tuesday of next week.

About twenty from Bethel Lodge attended the voyage of the Ark Mar. Norway Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Oquossoc visited with Pillsbury's mother, Mrs. A. well, and family last week.

The meeting of the Mothers which was to be held June 14, has been postponed.

June 28th at Mrs. Fannie Allen Edith Emma spent day with relatives in Rumford.

Elizabeth Bean took her the Pine Tree Lunch for Mrs. Lloyd Saxton, who went an operation at Dr. Don's Hospital, Portland, Sunday, is making a good recovery.

Thomas A. DeCosta, Governor was re-elected last week three year term as superintendent of schools in the Phillips district.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence I. Mrs. Earl Davis were in Friday to meet Mrs. Lord's Miss Mabel Soames of H. Mass., who will spend the here.

Pupils of the fifth grade their teacher, Miss Page, a picnic at Devil's Kitchen. Miss Hutchins, sixth grade, and her pupils spent the Songo Pond.

Among those receiving degree of Doctor of Medicine the Boston University School of Medicine Monday was Andrew Kendall, son of Mrs. Sarah and the late Herbert Kendall Sunday River.

At the commencement, at Hebron Academy on Principal F. E. Hanson was elected President of the Hebron Alumni Association. E. Hanson was graduated from Hebron in the Class of 1885.

Those from Bethel who the North Country Star at pass Club Field Day at Inn Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Fillet, Mr. Ralph Young, Richard Young and Mrs. F. P. Fillet, Mr. Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Virginia and Stanley Davis, Mrs. I. L. Carver, Priscilla and Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin.

The Tri-County Council of the American Legion was Livermore Falls Monday.

Those attending from Bethel Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. B. and Mrs. Eugene Van, Mr. Harold Lurvey, Mr. and Mrs. Grover, and Mr. and Mrs. Coburn. Mr. Bean, who is Committeeman, was in charge the meeting for the evening.

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